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### TEAM OF BUTCHERS WON

**They Defeated the Lawyers in Eleven Inning Contest.**

It took eleven innings to decide which was the best aggregation of baseball players, the butchers or the lawyers, yesterday, and the score stood 8 to 0 in favor of the butchers. As a scientific exhibition of baseball the score belies the game, for there was very little science to it. Two or three good players were in the game, but they had no idea of putting up a game, and they did not. The lawyers took the game seriously, too seriously. They thought they could play ball, but they couldn't. The butchers stepped at and missed the ball with the same abandon that they use in throwing a one-pound, courteous stick on the scales and call it a pound and a half.

The butchers were a jolly set, they jollied everybody, even the umpire, who was a lawyer. They said they could pound steaks, cut chops and saw bones, but they could not pound out safe hits, cut runners on the base lines or saw much wood when it came to playing baseball. It was not a game for the enjoyment of the lawyer of the national game. It was a game for fun, and fun was had in large quantities.

The umpire was the most serious man on the field. He was a lawyer, and he was a very serious man. He carried a ball bat in his hand for fear that some butcher would slash him for making a rank decision. There was no need for that. The butchers swallowed their grief when put out and made no offer of attack, and they never knew they were up against the real thing, for in case of attack the lawyers would have a few combs, and that was what they were out for.

The batting list was poor. The lawyers stood up to the plate, which wasn't a plate, but a hole in the ground, and they pounded the air with the bat just like they do in court in making a speech to a jury, and wave a big yellow-backed law book around. If they had had the law book they might have hit the ball, once in awhile. Neither of the pitchers could throw anything but a straight ball, and many of the balls thrown were very crooked. A professional ball player could not have hit half the balls thrown, but to the umpire everything that went into the catcher's mitt was a strike.

In the field the lawyers got sun-burned and their hands blistered by the first ball that came their way, so they stopped trying to catch the balls, but would run away and let the balls roll and bounce, and then they would stop it with their shins. The butchers had better luck, however. They had wielded the axe so long that such a thing as a ball would hardly be noticeable to them, and that is a fact, literally, because they hardly ever got their hands out to the ball. The lawyers never knocked it out to them. The following is the line-up of the two teams:

Butchers	Positions	Lawyers
Bichel	Catcher	Koeth
Hoff	First Base	Balden
Ford	Second Base	Cresson
Herron	Third Base	Robertson
Paul	Shortstop	Stearns
Wolffberg	Left Field	Bolton
Beck	Center Field	Hammers
Herrington	Right Field	Mutton

There were so many errors that the score could not keep track of them, and the hit was so few that he lost count in the eighth inning.

The butchers would like to have another game, with the retail clerks, attorneys or most any old team, for next week, the grounds will be in the Associate Charities.

### COW DERAILED TRAIN

**Wreck on Panhandle, West of Woodward, Occurs.**

The Panhandle train yesterday brought news of a wreck on the line four miles west of Woodward, D. T. A freight train was derailed and turned over in a ditch. The engineer was reported as seriously injured.

The freight train was going at a fair rate of speed and coming into an embankment struck a cow. It upset about eight cars of the train and threw the big engine over its side. The wreck

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## WANT MORE SCHOOL FUNDS

**Plans Forming to Ask Special Tax Law**

**FOR CITY DISTRICT**

**Would Allow Increase of General Levy.**

The board of education will make an attempt at the next session of the legislature to secure the passage of a special tax law for the purpose of providing more revenue for the maintenance and improvement of the public schools in this city.

Under the law under which the schools are now operating it is difficult for the board of education to raise sufficient money to run the schools and build additional buildings necessary, and it is to obviate this drawback that an effort to have a new special law enacted will be made. If the legislature, when it takes up the whole question of taxation, revises the state tax laws so that it will not be necessary to secure the special legislation contemplated for Wichita, the plan of the members of the board of education will be abandoned, but for fear the new general tax law will not remedy affairs in this school district, all arrangements will be made to press a special bill.

The board has as yet taken no official action on the subject, but members are talking of the plan among themselves and state that they will send some of their number to Topeka next winter to lobby for the desired legislation if deemed advisable.

One plan which it is proposed to incorporate into the bill is a provision allowing for the issue of more bonds. Under the present law the board can only have bonds outstanding to the amount of 5 per cent of the assessed valuation of the property in the district.

Speaking of this plan, N. L. Holloway, said to a reporter for the Eagle:

"We do not think that the law allows us to have enough bonds outstanding to provide for the new buildings and additions which it will be necessary to build in this city within a short time. Now that the Orient shops will be on the West Side there will be a great increase of the school population on that side. The committee on buildings and grounds was discussing the matter today and concluded that the children living in the vicinity of the shops would probably be sent to the McCormick and Harry street schools. That would necessitate the building of four more rooms to the Harry street school and the building of four more rooms to the McCormick. The development of the South end will also necessitate the building of two more rooms to the Lincoln street school."

"The development of the packing house district has greatly crowded the Irving school and four more rooms will have to be built there in a year or two. A new high school building is also becoming a necessity."

"The board of education feels that its bonded indebtedness is now near enough to the limit of the law. It is thought best not to run too close to the limit. The law allows some of the buildings we now have might be destroyed by fire and that we would have to replace them."

"Another idea which we will seek to have incorporated into the special law will be the right to levy a larger tax for the general fund. It is proposed to ask for a law that will allow us to levy a tax for that fund of 12 mills instead of 10 as at present."

Dr. Levi Horner, president of the board, also stated that there was talk among the members of the board of asking for a law permitting a 12-mill levy.

The outstanding indebtedness of the school board at present is about \$170,000. The limit allowed by law is between \$200,000 and \$250,000. The members desire a large margin, so that in case of fire or sudden destruction of a school house it could be rebuilt.

### M'KINLEY POSTAL CARD

**Postmaster Will Order Some for Use in Wichita.**

The postmaster of Wichita intends that his city shall not be second to any in any particular. The postal card with the late President McKinley's picture on it is soon to be introduced into Wichita. The card has caused much attention to be expended upon it because of the memories it brings back to the American people. When the first one was struck off a dispatch about it was sent over the country by the associated press. In three weeks' time the postal card itself will make its way to this city.

### No Cause for Excitement.

A great many people became very curious on looking down an alley and seeing a crowd gathered about. The women especially wondered much, for they could not go down the alley as many men did. The fact of the matter is that there was no excitement, only the new telephone company placing its wires underground.

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## ONE LONE ROBBER

**Holds Up Woman, Child and Two Men.**

**FOR CITY DISTRICT**

**Would Allow Increase of General Levy.**

Mrs. Frank Garst of 408 North Market street, the wife of a wealthy cattleman, returned yesterday from their ranch in Comanche county, and she reported a very daring highway robbery on their property, in the southern part of the county Sunday. Mr. Garst is in New Mexico and last week Mrs. Garst accompanied by her son, went to the ranch.

The ranch horses were scattered about over a great deal of territory, and for two or three days some of the cowboys were rounding them up. On Sunday Mrs. Garst, with her son, drove over into Woodward county, O. T., to visit a friend, and in returning fell in with two of their cowboys who had collected a herd of seven horses and one mule, which they were driving toward the ranch house.

Mrs. Garst decided to accompany them, as there were a number of gates between the different ranches and the men would open them for her. While six miles from the ranch house and about fifty yards from the line between Kansas and Oklahoma, a man named Patterson stepped up, and, covering Mrs. Garst and the two cowboys, by name George McBride and Rufe King, with a pair of big revolvers, and compelled the drivers to stop. The men who accompanied Mrs. Garst, and then drove the horses and one mule over the territory line and away. The two men got into the carriage and drove to the ranch house and a posse was started after Patterson, but he has not been found. Not one of the party had a gun of any description and the robber held them up at a very propitious time for him.

Monday Mrs. Garst went to Woodward and swore out a warrant for the arrest of Patterson, charging him with highway robbery, and has offered a liberal reward for his capture. She came to her home yesterday.

Patterson is known as a bad man in the neighborhood, but he was not known to do any horse stealing until the very successful attempt Sunday. He has worked on the ranch a number of times, but was considered a rather worthless fellow and only in cases of necessity was employed. One of the horses he stole belonged to the little son who accompanied Mrs. Garst, and the little fellow was almost heartbroken when told of the deed and that he would not see his pony any more. This little fellow was scared pretty badly by the man with the gun, and has passed almost sleepless nights since the robbery, as he usually wakes up with a start and much frightened, and his mother is considerably concerned about him.

The horses stolen were some of the best owned by Mr. Garst and the loss will be felt considerably by the ranchers as their stock of cowboys is greatly reduced by the raid.

Keep your system in perfect order and you will have health, even in the most sickly seasons. The occasional use of PRICKLY ASH BITTERS will insure vigor and regularity in all the vital organs.

### BAND CONCERT TONIGHT

**It Will Be at New Stand on College Hill.**

The first concert to be given by Sanford's band on College Hill will be given this evening. The Street Car company has prepared a fine band stand and seats have been put in place so that all who attend the concert need not sit on the grass. The stand is so situated that everyone will get the benefit of the cool breezes that sweep over the hill and make it such a pleasant place to live.

The street car management have given notice that all the cars required to haul the crowd to and from the grounds will be in readiness. The music will begin at 8 o'clock and the program is as follows:

March—Give the Countersalto  
Melange of Popular Melodies  
W. H. Scouten

Two Songs—Then  
Tranquility—Serenade—F. H. Loney  
Empire Overture—Grundersater  
Creole Bolle—Boudewait Lampe  
Around the Metropolis—F. Meyer  
Southern Memories—(Grand Fantasia)

Star Spangled Banner—Joseph Hecker

### PARADE BRACE NUPTIALS

**Descendant of General Leavenworth Finds Wichita Man for Husband.**

Dr. Joseph K. Pardee and Miss Elsie Leavenworth, daughter of New York, N. Y., were quietly married at 5:30 o'clock last night at the residence of Mrs. Ed Moore, a sister of the groom, 519 South Main street. Rev. Bruce Griffith performed the ceremony. Only the members of the family were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Pardee will make their home at 519 South Main street. Dr. Pardee met his bride in Washington, D. C. She is a descendant of the late General Leavenworth, who founded the Kansas city which bears his name.

### BONES OF EXTINCT ANIMALS

**Rev. Martindale Has a Fine Collection of Fossils.**

Rev. W. J. Martindale of 24 West Maple avenue yesterday brought to the city some bones of prehistoric animals that he found in a canyon in Gove county, near the Smoky Hill river. He found some very fine parts of skeletons of a shark of great dimensions and a sea anemone, a species resembling the modern crocodile. He has one set of bones which he found in the magnesian limestone that may prove interesting to scientists over the country, as it is the bones of an animal of which species Rev. Martindale believes there are none in any of the hills of science of the west at the present time, and those known are very imperfect specimens. He has a number of the vertebrae of what seems to be the body of some marine animal with short fore feet, long rear legs and a long tail.

This animal was of peculiar form, being narrow but high. From the appearance of the bones it would seem that the animal was about three feet high past back of the shoulder and that its shoulders were very close together. From the top of each vertebrae is a bone projecting about eighteen inches long and coming to a point. The ribs are flat and



PAPA—Oh, what a pain! I believe I have a fever in the heart.  
MAMMA—Nonsense, it isn't your heart, it's your stomach. Every time you eat this hot weather, you get a sour stomach full of hot gases and acids, and you swell up until your heart hardly has room to beat. If you were not so obstinate, you'd take my advice and keep your insides cool by taking a CASCARET Candy Cathartic every night before going to bed. They work while you sleep and keep you regular in the hottest weather.

# THOMAS

## The New Town On the Frisco System

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The Company has sold 2000 lots to good business men, full of energy and push, among the best class of people in Missouri, Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska and Illinois, which will give this town an advantage over any other from the fact there is 1500 people directly interested in its welfare from the start, which places it at least five years ahead of a town laid out on any other plan.

The town is now being platted and the lots reserved by the Company will be placed on sale

## Tuesday, July 22nd, 1902

About 30 days ahead of the regular opening date, in order to give purchasers an opportunity to make their selection of lots and have buildings erected and ready for business by the time of the formal opening, at which date the Frisco Railway will run excursions from the above named states to the new city and expect to have 2000 or 3000 people on the ground.

This town will have the largest undisputed territory in Oklahoma to draw its support from and will be the market for 70 miles east and west and 30 miles north and south for the large crops of corn, cotton, wheat, oats, millet and broom corn which it produces. This location presents a great opportunity to persons seeking a location for business or purchasing lots as an investment, as values are bound to increase very rapidly when the town is formally opened. Abundance of good soft water can be had at from 30 to 50 feet.

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## PANICS

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**I HAVE OTHER BARGAINS**

curved very little, and if put together correctly shows the body to be not more than fifteen inches in thickness. No bones of the feet were found, but leg bones of what is believed to be the same animal were dug up near the spot where the vertebrae were found, and these go to show that it was an animal of the alligator build but with a long, narrow body and a long tail.

Rev. Martindale is the preaching elder of the Methodist church of the Methodist Episcopal church, and during the long drive over the vast, unpopulated country of a part of his district spends much time investigating the formation of rocks and looking for fossils as it is a subject that interests him very much. He will set up the bones he has found at his home and attempt to locate the same and species.

### FOUR MORE CYCLISTS

**Fined for Riding on the Sidewalks Yesterday.**

C. L. Pike, Frank Danney, M. C. Higgins and a man giving his name as John Due were the men caught by the police yesterday for riding on the sidewalks. All paid their fines of \$2 per head and promised to keep off the sidewalk while the streets are in good condition.

### FIRE IN CELLAR

**Brought Department to 405 South Lawrence Avenue.**

The fire department was called to the home of Mr. Herrington at 405 South Lawrence avenue at a o'clock yesterday afternoon, to put out a fire in the cellar. Some members of the family had set the house on fire and the fire was not noticed until it was too late. The fire was not noticed until it was too late. The fire was not noticed until it was too late.

### FIRST RESIDENCE PHONE

**Was Placed in Residence of I. W. Gill Wednesday.**

I. W. Gill, the undertaker, has the honor of having the first telephone of the new Wichita Telephone company being placed in his residence. The instrument was put in place in his home Wednesday and since that time the business has been working hard putting in other residences' phones. Nearly all of

### OLD RESIDENT DEAD

**Thomas Fahy, 72 Years Old, Dies at St. Francis Hospital.**

Thomas Fahy, 72 years old and a resident of Wichita, died at St. Francis hospital, last evening at 8 p. m.

The cause of his death was a complication of diseases that set in two months ago. He was a widower and leaves three grown sons. His death will be mourned by many, for many were his friends. The funeral will be conducted by Father Timon at the pro-cathedral Saturday morning at 9 o'clock.

### CASTORIA.

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